
CHAPTER VI (Continued)

HE TOOK MEAN ADVANTAGE

"See that heavily built guy who just came in?" said the broker to his friend. "He's caught my eye. I have noticed that he caught my eye, but passed on without a sign of recognition. Well, he's a promoter. He and I used to be great friends—genuinely. He rushed into my office one afternoon in a state of panic. He said he had been asked to save him a little trouble by cashing a check for the sum. He always seemed to have plenty of money, so I gave him the cash and took him to the bank. He thanked me and said he would not see him again, and I left. On depositing the check, it came back marked 'No funds.' I looked up at the bank, and found he did have a post there at one time. I deposited

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changed on the highest hill. Ah, but it would be a sad old world if all the men and women in it were Graceland.

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Short, thick, curly hair is an indication of great natural strength.

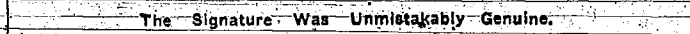
Alasqua, Spain. Aviator Gilbert, after a battle with an eagle at a height of four thousand feet, landed here second in the Paris-Madrid race for \$20,000.

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COUNSEL FOR ALLEGED DYNAMITERS



Clarence S. Darrow, the Chicago attorney who has been retained as counsel for the men accused of the dynamiting of the Los Angeles Times building, has gained fame as the legal defender of union labor men in many prominent cases. He is a native of Kinsman, O., once was a member of the Illinois legislature, and is a deep student of literature and economic questions.

STATE BRIEFS.

The ginseed crop is damaged by blight. One thousand miners near Bessemer are permanently laid off because of dull market. The "Jackpot" mine, closed for 10 years is to be reopened. The stock barn on Congressman J. M. Smith's farm near Baiting, Ind., was struck by lightning and destroyed. A valuable horse and two sheep were killed. Railway officers are having conferences over the request of the city that all railway crossings in Kansas be elevated. The total cost would be \$3,000,000. The G. T. objects. After working constantly for a year over the death of his sister in Toronto, J. A. S. Rath, an accountant in the Imperial bank in Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., shot and fatally wounded himself. Announcement was made that 300 men employed in the shops and other capacities have been laid off indefinitely in the Saginaw district of the Pere Marquette. This is done because of the slack freight business. William A. Penn, 43, a full-blooded Osage Indian, employed by the federal government as interpreter on the Osage Reservation, Oklahoma, is dead at his home, Pera Cheney, Mich. of tuberculosis, which is fast moving down Michigan Indians. Voters of Benton Harbor by a majority of 19 decided to bond the city for \$50,000 for an improved water system. At two previous elections \$100,000 was asked. The money will be spent in developing a well system in preference to going to the lake. As a mark of appreciation for the services rendered during his stay at M. A. C. Capt. G. M. Holley was presented with a banner by the cadet corps. The presentation was made at the close of a drill held in honor of Capt. Holley. Col. McKibbin, of the regiment, made the speech of presentation. Following a stormy session over the letting of the new east side sewer trunk, Mayor Ellis of Grand Rapids has filed charges against E. H. Christ, president of the board of public works, and will ask the council to remove him. The president declares that he will not resign, and it will therefore be necessary for the mayor to present his side at the trial next Monday night. Judge H. C. Briggs, referee in bankruptcy, filed a report in Kalamazoo of a final dividend of 4.05 per cent in the case of the Vicksburg Exchange bank of Vicksburg. This makes a total dividend of 94.05 per cent distributed among the 800 creditors of the institution. The bank became involved in difficulties in 1905, since which time \$27,250 has been returned to depositors. Alderman John McDonald of Owosso fell 13 feet Wednesday morning to the cement floor of a building striking on his back and walked away practically uninjured. He is an athlete and clever amateur wrestler. Physicians say he had it not been for his fine muscular development his back would have been broken. When John W. Tracey's motor boat was capsized at Leland by the propellers hitting a rock he lost \$20 in bills as he was soon down; but he bobbed up, away around collecting the currency off the top of the water and escaped drowning. By a decision reached in Battle Creek the site of the city hall has been definitely located on Monument Square at the intersection of Marshall, Division and Main streets. The city will pay \$10,000 down and \$20,000 in notes for the property. The deal has been in the air for two years. Charles G. Longlois was arrested at Stephenson, charged with abducting Eveline DuChent, an Oconto girl under 19 years of age. It was an elopement and the young people were to have been married at Stephenson. The girl's father followed them. The man will have a hearing in Stephenson June 18.

Grosscup Has Plans to Handle Trust.

Declaring the Sherman act, "even as now interpreted, an ineffective remedy in the just complaint of the ordinary man against monopolies," Judge Peter S. Grosscup of the United States circuit court of appeals, proposed in the commencement address before the University of Iowa at Iowa City a new method of dealing with trusts.

To recognize combination and monopoly as something necessarily here—square the law to the fact—and then, as a condition to granting corporate power to all, reserve the right to regulate dividends," is the remedy Judge Grosscup advances.

Their Big Party.

The reception which the president and Mrs. Taft will give on June 19, the 25th anniversary of their marriage, probably will be the most largely attended function ever given in the White House. More than 3,000 invited guests already have been sent out and each day the president is suggesting more names so that the lowest estimate is that 4,000 will be invited and that of these at least three-fourths will attend.

THE MARKETS.

DETROIT—Cattle: Bulls and common cow stuff, 25¢ to 30¢ lower; other grades 10¢ to 20¢ lower. Steers and heifers, 10¢ to 15¢ lower. 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A Down-right Shame.

It is a shame for anyone to continue to suffer with a chronic ailment when the PRANAYAMA-HUMAN ELECTRICITY offers you the greatest opportunity to get well now.

You may think your case is more difficult than others, therefore you have become discouraged as to hesitate about trying anything. But remember, Pranayama Human Electricity, the wonderful Hindoo discovery is now being introduced in Grayling with the most astonishing results. Can you doubt it when the most prominent citizens endorse it in the strongest terms?

Here is but a sample of what it has done for many others at Grayling. Call and the names will be cheerfully given you; then ask them yourself.

RHEUMATISM.

Was all Crippled. Could not Walk and in Constant Pain. But Recovers Quickly under Pranayama Treatment.



Albert Hartwell, Grayling, Mich., who was rescued from a life of helplessness, and a cripple.

Grayling, Mich., June 6, 1911.
About three years ago I became afflicted with rheumatism which rapidly grew worse in spite of all the doctors, remedies, Mt. Clemens baths, etc; for six months I could not put my feet on floor; for past three years I could barely walk, even with cane, I had given up all hope of ever being anything but a helpless cripple all my life. A Grayling lady who had been cured by Prof. Johann von Oberstolz, of an ailment of 45 years standing, without even seeing the professor, recommended the treatment to me, when I immediately took advantage of it. I shall never after bless the day I did so. I have found this treatment to be all and more than the claims it is to be. He was a stranger to me when I heard of his glorious work, and I wrote to him. He said he could cure me but it would take sometime. In a few weeks I discarded the cane, the pain had almost ceased entirely; I could sleep fine, and began to enjoy real life and health, my recovery is the wonder and admiration of all my friends and citizens of Grayling; they cannot understand it. I am no longer a miserable being, and burden to my family and friends. I give Prof. Johann von Oberstolz the credit; he has been the greatest man with me in every respect, and I never grow weary in doing everything I can in his behalf in trying to influence others to try his wonderful treatment. It is nice and pleasant to use. I don't think any sufferer will ever regret the day they begin his treatment. I trust every sufferer in Grayling will at once begin with his treatment, and be blessed as I have been, for it has been a world to me. May God bless every effort we make, for good, and may we all meet face to face before the Great Throne, believe me.

Sincerely yours,
ALBERT HARTWELL.

STATE OF MICHIGAN,
COUNTY OF CRAWFORD.

On this sixth day of June A. D. 1911 before the undersigned a Notary Public in and for said county personally came Albert Hartwell to me known to be the same person who signed the foregoing statement, who being first duly sworn, deposes and says that the foregoing statement by him signed is true in substance and in fact.

ALBERT HARTWELL.

Subscribed and sworn to before me the day and year first above written.

GEO. L. ALKLANDER.

Notary Public,
My Commission expires July 28, 1914.

I am offering you what I believe, and have proven to the satisfaction of Grayling citizens and others, the greatest curative treatment known man at the present day. The amazing results for Albert Hartwell, Mrs. M. Giffert, Clarence Brown, Mrs.

Corner, and many others here, prove my claims to be as true as steel. I have no desire to add another disappointment to your list; therefore I urge you to come and let me diagnose your case, by merely looking you in the eye—the most important and far reaching discovery in the science of healing. With the fact, that the iris of the eye is a mirror of mind and body and discloses the inner condition of man.

It tells us the condition of every part of the organ of the body which is reflected in corresponding parts of the iris of the eye; every congenital taint and lesion, every artificially cured (suppressed) disease, every poisonous drug, every acute or chronic inflammation, every loss of substance, shows itself by unmistakable signs which enable us to make a reliable diagnosis of all your physical conditions.

Our work is not experimental in the least. We can and do say definitely and frankly just what can be done and the time required to effect a cure to stay cured.

85 per cent of all the people we have cured have come to us as a "last resort."

You may have tried all the rest. Now try the least—Pranayama-Human Electricity.

If at first you don't succeed, try, try again—but try a different way.

This treatment is new and altogether different from anything you have ever seen or heard. And of course what is worth while tomorrow is worth while today. Procrastination is the thief of time. Every day you delay means the postponement of your opportunities. Therefore, I earnestly urge you to call promptly.

If you could accompany me some day on my rounds to patients and hear the expressions of gratitude received from the afflicted you would be as enthusiastic as I, and it would not be necessary to urge this benefit upon you. My treatment is a marvel. My efforts earnest.

Now is the time to act while the grand opportunity still exists here at Grayling; and you should not allow anything to prevent you from calling at once. If you do, you may make the biggest mistake of your life.

Positively no more patients accepted—this is the last day at our office.

Do it now.

Don't die until you are ready to give the undertaker a job.

At my residence 422 1/2 Main St., or call at home 422 1/2 Main St., at your residence. Married ladies must be accompanied by husband, first visit.

Every day's delay is a day of health and happiness lost forever.

I can assure you very enthusiastically, dear sufferer, that if you will give Pranayama Human Electricity, the fair honest trial it deserves, you will never regret the venture but you will ever after bless the day you did so, same as many of your friends and acquaintances are now doing here at Grayling.

Consultation free, and invited, 8 a. m. to 4 p. m., daily. Won't you let us help you?

Prof. Johann von Oberstolz, Pranayama.

(Mrs.) Prof. Johann von Oberstolz, Assistant.

N. B.—Remember, no patients accepted after this—but a few days more.

Wins Fight For Life.

It was a long and bloody battle for life that was waged by James B. Marshall of Newark, N. J., of which he writes: "I had lost much blood, from lung hemorrhages, and was very weak and run down. For eight months I was unable to work. Death seemed close on my heels, when I began, three weeks ago, to use Dr. King's New Discovery. But it has helped me greatly. It is doing all that you claim." For weak sore lungs, obstinate cough, stubborn colds, hoarseness, grippe, asthma, hay fever, or any throat or lung trouble its supreme. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by A. M. Lewis & Co.

Nursing as a Career.

A World-Wide Call—Free Training Provided.

It is said that Nursing is one of the most inviting fields of human service and that its financial return surpasses any other occupation, open to young women. It develops all the native graces of womanhood and leads the way to positions of trust and influence. The demand for more nurses is a world-wide call.

The Philadelphia School for Nurses located in Philadelphia, Pa., has undertaken to meet this demand by offering free scholarships to young women in all parts of the country. Room, board, laundering, incidental expenses, special financial assistance and railroad fare, home on completion of course two years. Also a special short course and a home study course for those who must quickly prepare for self-support.

The Philadelphia school for nurses is a benevolent institution conducted without hope of gain or profit in the interest of ambitious young women. Readers of this paper can get full information by writing the school at once.

Work Will Soon Start.

after you take Dr. King's New Life Pills, and you'll quickly enjoy their fine results. Constipation and indigestion will and the appetite returns. They regulate stomach, liver and bowels and impart new strength and energy to the whole system. Try them. Only 25c at A. M. Lewis & Co.

Buffalo Bill's Circus

in 3000 feet of Moving Pictures, will be shown at

The Temple Theater

Saturday Evening

June 24, at 7:30

Second show about 9:00

Admission - 15c and 25c

Be on time as we expect a big turn out, and seats will be in great demand

CANNING COMPANY FOR ST. HELEN.

The St. Helen Preserving & Canning Company has been organized at St. Helen, Michigan, to do a general preserving and canning business.

This will be a subsidiary company of the St. Helen Development Co., which company is developing a large tract of land around St. Helen into farms and orchards.

This year only small fruits will be handled, and some 25,000 jars of strawberry preserves and 50,000 cans of blueberries will be the output.

The land around St. Helen is generally of a sandy loam or a clay loam nature, and strawberries attain perfection in this favorable soil. Experts have pronounced the soil ideal for the culture of this luscious fruit, and this year the crop promises to yield at the rate of \$500.00 per acre. A greatly increased acreage was planted this spring, and it is expected that the output next season will be sixfold greater than this year.

The new company plans capacity to handle the fruit and vegetable output not only of St. Helen and vicinity, but also that from West Branch and Kalamazoo, and will encourage the planting of fruits and vegetables suitable to its use.

A Charming Woman

Some who are lovely in face, form, mind and temper. But it is hard for a woman to be charming without being a weak, silly woman with nervous and hysterical disposition and kidney troubles, pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wrecked complexion. But electric Bitters always prove a godsend to women who want health, beauty and friends. They regulate stomach, liver and kidneys, purify the blood, give strong nerves, bright eyes, pure breath, smooth, velvety skin, lovely complexion and perfect health. Try them. 50c at A. M. Lewis & Co.

Sealed Bids.

Sealed bids will be received by the Village Board of Grayling, up to June 30th, at noon, for the construction of cement walks and crossings in the village of Grayling.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

Signed,
S. S. PHILLIPS, Jr., Village Clerk.

Dated June 7, 1911. June 8-3w

GREAT LAKES MAP

SEND FOR INTERESTING VACATION LITERATURE

The D. & C. Line, which operates daily steamer service between Detroit and Buffalo, has published a pamphlet containing the largest map of the Great Lakes, showing routes to all summering places. "You should have one to plan your vacation." A request with two cent stamp enclosed will bring it. Write now.

DETROIT & CLEVELAND NAVIGATION CO. June 22-2w Detroit, Mich.

NOTICE.

In accordance to Act No. 248 of Public Laws of 1906 a meeting of the Board of Supervisors for the County of Crawford will be held at the Court House in the Village of Grayling in said county, on Monday, the 26th day of June, 1911, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of equalizing the assessment Rolls of the several townships of said County, and for to transact such other business that lawfully may come before it.

Dated this 12th day of June, 1911.

JOHN J. NEDERER County Clerk.

Grange Memorial Day.

The annual observance of Memorial Day by Crawford County Grange No. 934 was held at the G. A. R. Hall, last Saturday with a large attendance of members and their friends, all of whom were finely entertained by the execution of a fine program of music, select reading, and oratory.

Appropriate selections were read by Mrs. Margaret Burton, and George Bellmore.

An address by the Master, Perry Ostrander, was well prepared, and attentively listened to, as it was full of practical thought in the line of Grange work and its promised success. After music by a quartette of young ladies, which was interspersed between the exercises, Rev. J. J. Rice gave the assembly an address, eloquently prepared for the occasion, dwelling largely on the social side, of the

No More Poor Coffee

It's a good plan to get away from the idea that the ONLY coffee is the kind our grandmothers used—the carelessly-grown, grudgingly-prepared coffee, much of which was, and is, harmful in effects and anything but the best in flavor.

This world is going forward! With advanced knowledge and facilities COFFEE, like every good thing, should improve.

Royal Valley Coffees

are the very latest and best evidences of that improvement. They are prepared for you by one of the most modern of processes which removes every thing but the good coffee, preserves all of the rich, aromatic oil, maintains a stronger "body"—making the coffee not only very rich in flavor, but very economical to use.

There is not another coffee on the market the equal of a Royal Valley that does not cost the consumer from 10c to 15c more per pound. Why waste even 10c per lb?

Royal Valley NERO is 25c; MARI-GOLD 30c and TZAR 35c per pound, and you will find them the biggest coffee values you ever paid your good money for.

Sold only by

M. SIMPSON.

Olson's Automobile Line!

MACHINES FOR SALE OR RENT.

Call at Central Drug Store or Auto Barn.

WHY?

are we selling 800 barrels of

LILY WHITE FLOUR

"The Flour the Best Cooks Use"

In the State of Michigan every day.

This means 240,400 barrels a year.

About 73,000 families use Lily White Flour.

Insist on Lily White the next time you buy flour, and learn why so many are using this famous flour.

SOLD BY

CONNINE & CO.

Fred Postal, Pres., Fred A. Goodman, Sec.

HOTEL GRISWOLD

The Postal Hotel Company
Corner Grand River Ave. and Griswold Street
Headquarters of the Wolverine Automobile Club.

Detroit's Most Popular Hotel.

European Plan Only. Rates \$1.50 per day and up.

\$150,000 expended in Remodeling
Furnishing and Decorating.
Nothing better at our rates.

The finest Cafe west of New York. Services A La Carte at popular Prices. A strictly modern and up-to-date Hotel. Centrally located in the very heart of the city. "Where Life is Worth Living."

development and improvement of society, wherever the Grange has a dominating influence and cementing friendships for all time, a more interesting talk, or more interested audience has seldom met in our village.

The tables, as usual at their meetings, were beautifully arranged with flowers and laden with edibles, sufficient and good enough for a king's banquet.

Miss Nora Bella Walton and Miss Grace Miller of Gladwin, are here for their summer vacation at the home of the prosecuting Attorney Walton, father of Miss Walton.

Elmer Ostrander took home a gaggle of geese, with a sawing machine and force pump last Monday for use on his farm. He is "getting there" with both feet.

1878. 1911.

The Pioneer Store

With you for over a quarter of a century.

FIRST CLASS GOODS!

RIGHT PRICES!

Always our Motto.

We are headquarters for

Groceries & Provisions

DRY GOODS, FURNISHING GOODS
SHOES, HARDWARE
FLOUR, FEED
LOGS, LUMBER, SHINGLES
BUILDING MATERIAL OF EVERY KIND

Farm Produce

BOUGHT AT HIGHEST MARKET PRICE.

Salling, Hanson Co.

Watch this space for NEW A. D. A. KRAUS & SON.

LEADING DRY GOODS STORE.

Avalanche Time Table.

M. C. R. R.

This is not an Ad., nor guaranteed correct. It is given for the benefit of our readers, and will be kept corrected if possible, by the courtesy of the Local Agent.

Going North.		Going South.	
Leave Grayling.	Arrive Grayling.	Leave Grayling.	Arrive Grayling.
No. 91, 6:10 am	No. 156, 6:10 am	No. 157, 1:45 pm	No. 203, 1:45 pm
No. 157, 1:45 pm	No. 203, 1:45 pm	No. 204, 4:20 pm	No. 204, 4:20 pm

To the Public.

I wish to inform all that I am now ready to take orders for Nursery Stock for fall delivery, with information from the company to give the best of satisfaction from the largest house in the world with 1200 acres under cultivation for nursery stock, to be delivered in October. All stock is warranted and satisfaction guaranteed.

JOHN H. TOBIN.

A Dreadful Wound

from a knife, gun, or any other, rusty nail, new or old, of any other nature, demands prompt treatment with Buckle's Arnica Salve to prevent blood poisoning or gangrene. It's the quickest, surest healer for all such wounds as also for Burns, Boils, Sores, Skin Eruptions, Eczema, Chapped hands, Corns or Fles, 25c at A. M. Lewis & Co.

\$1.675 for a Fox Skin.

A fine silver fox skin, nearly black, was brought to Edinburg, Alaska, by a hunter, ranking as the finest skin down there in some years. It was purchased by a dealer for \$1,075.44 for

CONNECTIONS:

At Walton for points north and south on G. R. & I. R. R.
At Kaleva for points on P. M. R. R.
At Manistee for Chicago and Milwaukee via boat lines.
Stops on flag, or to leave passengers.

3 Stops only to take on passengers for points West of Kaleva.

F. A. MITCHELL, Gen. Traffic Mgr.

D. RIELY, Com. Pass. Agt.

A Well-Versed Editor.

We know an editor who prides himself on being well-versed at all times. He always has a large supply of poetry on hand.

Crawford Avalanche.

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, JUNE 22
Local and Neighborhood News.

Take Notice.

The date following your address on this paper shows to what time your subscription is paid. Our terms are \$1.50 per year in advance. If your time is up, please renew promptly. A X following your name means we want our money.

All advertisements, communications, correspondence, etc., must reach us by Tuesday forenoon, and can not be considered later.

Look for the blue X after your name. It means time is up.

Don't forget The Circus at Temple Theater, June 24th.

I love my Contard Pie, oh, but you

Connor's Ice Cream. 24-41

Horses bought and sold at Langevin's Livery Barn.

Eat the best, Connor's World's Best Ice Cream. Its pure cream. 24-41

Horses bought and sold at Langevin's Livery Barn.

You can not afford to miss the Buffalo Bill's Circus, at Temple Theater, June 24th.

Wait for our great Reduction Sale commencing Saturday, June 24th, and lasting to July 4th. Brenner's Cash Store.

TO TRADE—New Piano for horses or hogs, or Surrey or anything. Call on or address Nemesius Nelson. 24-41

FOR SALE—Three desirable lots in Rockford addition to village of Grayling, for prices etc. inquire of Mrs. J. B. Woodburn.

FOR SALE—A good dwelling house and three lots on block 28 Rockford add Village of Grayling. \$2,000. Wright Havens.

Get the best, Connor's World's Best Ice Cream, at Olaf Sorenson & Sons. 24-41

We believe in selling goods cheaper just when people want them. Our reduction sale starts Saturday, June 24. Brenner's Cash Store.

Letting, Cabbage and Tomato plants, Asters, and Pansies. Orders taken for all kinds of cut flowers at the Market Garden.

J. Wilcox has sold his home here to Robert Ziebell, who is moving here from Lewiston.

It is worse than useless to take any medicines internally for muscular or chronic rheumatism. All that is needed is a few applications of Chamberlain's Liniment. For sale by all dealers.

The "Old Man" and Comrade Dell Smith are in attendance at the G. A. R. Encampment, at Ypsilanti. We are not informed of how many others.

Try Connor's World's Best Ice Cream, at Olaf Sorenson & Sons. 24-41

Gentlemen when you get ready for a new suit, call in and see. Satisfaction guaranteed. Shop over Collier's Restaurant. A. B. Hendrickson.

Mrs. Dr. Wescott and the children are at the old home for a few days. She will visit and try to keep those brothers of hers in line during the absence of the parents.

The untimely success that has attended the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has made it a favorite everywhere. It can always be depended upon. For sale by all dealers.

FOR SALE—I have left several tons of Wolverine Wood Fibre Plaster. This is not the cheap cement and sand plaster, but genuine wood fibre. I also have a few barrels of cement, which I will sell at a low price. Enquire of N. C. Nielsen, at the Burton Hotel.

There is one medicine that every family should be provided with especially during the summer months, viz. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It is almost certain to be needed. It costs but a quarter. Can you afford to be without it? For sale by all dealers.

Cement blocks made from first class cement and clean gravel, without clay. Manufactured and for sale. Call and examine the stock, and style and get prices, by the block or in your wall. McQuire Dupree. 24-2w

Whooping cough is not dangerous when the child is kept cool and kept from the excitement of playing. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It has been used in many epidemics of this disease with perfect success. For sale by all dealers.

No town in Michigan can surpass, and but few equal our own, in musical ability, especially in the "Band" part. The open air concert, Wednesday and Friday evenings, call large crowds to the Court House square where most thoroughly enjoy an hour of the latest and best popular music.

The woman of today who has good health, good temper, good sense, bright eyes and a lovely complexion, the result of correct living and good digestion, wins the admiration of the world. If your digestion is faulty Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will correct it. For sale by all dealers.

The attention of merchants is called to the new law promulgated by the Dairy and Food Department, which makes it unlawful for dealers to expose goods for sale without proper sanitary precaution against flies and dust, particularly referring to meats, fruits and vegetables. This law has attracted much attention throughout the state, and there will be a general effort to enforce it. A penalty is attached for those who violate the law.

I. O. O. F. Memorial Day.

Grayling Lodge I. O. O. F. No. 137 held their Annual Memorial Service at their Temple, last Sunday. Special music was furnished for the occasion by a choir of young ladies and the Citizens Band. The oration by Rev. J. Humphrey Fleming, was a masterpiece, as he dwelt on the fundamental teachings of the order, and the beauty of fraternalism as exemplified by the lives of those faithful to their teachings.

At the close of the exercises at the temple, the lodge, accompanied by members of the Rebecca Lodge and about fifty flower bearers, marched to the cemetery, led by the Band, and decorated the graves of their fraternalities. It is a loving tribute, sad, yet pleasant for the memories it brings.

There will be no meeting of Garfield Circle, Friday afternoon.

H. C. Holbrook and family are enjoying a visit from his nephew, W. S. Shettel, of Sandusky, Ohio.

The Board of Supervisors will meet next Monday, for the equalization of taxes.

WANTED—A Girl, must be good cook. Apply or address Nemesius Nelson, Beaver Creek.

Mrs. John Harrington and Mrs. H. Oaks are attending the G. A. R. convention at Ypsilanti, this week.

Edward H. Sorenson has been appointed postmaster at Michelson, in place of A. E. Michelson, resigned.

The editorial home is a place of desolation. "Our twins" have gone to the rural district for their summer vacation.

The Ladies of the Danish Sisterhood will give a Social at the G. A. R. Hall, to-morrow afternoon and evening. Coffee, Cake and Ice Cream will be served.

Rev. J. J. Riess left last Monday for Ludington, Mich., to assist at the wedding of a friend and also to visit with his parents for a few days.

Supervisor Barnes of South Branch was in the City, last week, and reports three Ohio Farmers already located in that township this spring, and all delighted with the prospect for success.

Attend the Base Ball Game Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, at the Ball grounds between the Grayling Doves Co. boys and the Grayling Stars. Encourage the boys by attending the game. Admission only 15c and 10c.

"Jimmy" Hartwick arrived in his boyhood home on Saturday and spent two pleasant days on the Anselm with his old comrade M. Hanson, Needless to say both accomplished fishermen returned with the limit the law allows.

Mrs. Johann von Oberstolz, wife of the noted Ann Arbor Professor, has been summoned here to assist in the treatment of the many eager patients who have sought the professors aid, while he is spending his summer vacation at Grayling.

J. B. Siljander, who has had charge of the Montgomery farm in Beaver Creek, says he has in 72 acres of spring crops, which are looking fine enough for any one. One field of sowed corn stands nearly two feet high and is well up to the top of the stalks.

The home of N. Michelson was made lively on Sunday last by the visit of three young grandsons from Johanneburg and Master Robert Hartwick from Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. F. L. made the drive from Johanneburg in their automobile returning Sunday afternoon.

The Sunday services during the summer months, on the first and third Sundays of the month, will be held in St. Mary's Catholic Church as follows: First Mass at 6 a. m., Second Mass and Benediction at 9 a. m., Confessions on the Saturday evening previous.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Halter have gone to the Pacific coast, and will spend a few months visiting the principal cities of the Golden State, and from there to the Canadian side.

In the mean time The Crown Chemical Plant here will be managed by experts from Toledo.

Chas. Richardson, of South Branch, lost his home by fire, last Thursday evening. The furniture in the lower story was nearly all saved, but nothing from the chambers. The loss, of which we have no estimate, will reach a considerable amount, with no insurance. The fire originated on the roof of the upright, being blown from the kitchen stove pipe by a high wind.

The annual Congregational meeting will be held at the Presbyterian Church, Thursday evening, at 7:30, for the election of Elders and Trustees, and the consideration of any matter of business as may properly come before the meeting. It is expected that all departments of the church through their secretaries and treasurers, will make their annual reports. Light refreshments will be served.

The AVANTAGE has always been noted for its truthfulness. No unbelievable fish stories being admitted to our columns. And here is another story that we hardly dare publish for fear of injury to our reputation for veracity. George Baltimore brought a box of wild strawberries, which were simply immense. We never saw clusters half as large or luscious, but dare not repeat the number of boxes he claims that he and his wife picked, and were only gone from the house three hours. "The worthless country."

Tally Another Big One For Grayling.

The Grayling Wood Product Co. is a fixed fact. The articles of association are of record with the Secretary of State and with County Clerk of this county.

The Company is organized with \$25,000.00 capital, and ten per cent paid in.

The office for the transaction of business is fixed for this village, and aside from the capitalists here who are interested there is unlimited capital behind the concern as it shall be required.

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Watch the AVANTAGE for further particulars, as we expect active operations in building, and placing machinery will soon begin. Tally another for "The only Town on the Map."

Presbyterian Church.

Sunday, June 25, 1911.

Mid week prayer meeting, Thursday 7:30 p. m.

Preaching at 10:30 a. m.—Subject "Elijah's Dilemma." A Lesson for the discouraged.

11:45 a. m. Sunday School. A. B. Failing's Lesson.

Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. "China and Missionary Topic."

Preaching service 7:00 p. m. Topic: "Wise and Foolish Builders."

All are cordially invited to attend these services.

J. HUMPHREY FLEMING, Pastor.

M. E. Church.

Sunday, June 25, 1911.

The regular services at the M. E. church for next Sunday are as follows:

Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Topic: "Resurrection."

Sabbath School at 11:45 a. m. Junior League, 3:00 p. m.

Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. Subject: "Spiritual Power." Leader: Cornelia Melstrup.

7:30 p. m. Public Service. Subject: "Courage."

7:30 p. m. Thursday. General Prayer Meeting.

The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

Non-Church goers are especially invited.

JAMES IVEY, Pastor.

Lovells Locals.

Mrs. Jos. Rosevear left Saturday for a short visit to her son who resides in Phil.

Mrs. Eastman is back at her old position at C. W. Ward's summer residence.

Miss Run Houghton spent a couple of days at her home in Lewiston attending the graduation exercises.

Young lady friends of Grayling visited the Misses La Rue on Sunday last at the La Rue home.

T. E. Douglas, new garage is now completed, adding to the appearance of the main thoroughfare.

Miss Pearl Engle is spending a few days with Miss Brown for this week.

Miss Audrey Houghton from Lewiston is visiting at the La Rue home.

Mrs. John Cox, daughter of Mrs. Joseph Day, formerly of this place died at her home in White Salmon, Wash., of pneumonia. She leaves several children and a husband to mourn her loss. Also many friends here.

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The brave action of a girl teacher was publicly noticed at a recent meeting of Scarborough (Eng.) town council. Miss Smith was in a room with a class of 40 children, none over five years of age. One boy had in his pocket some Bengal lights. Suddenly his clothes burst into flames. Miss Smith at once called the children to order to prevent panic and then seized hold of the screaming child wrapped him in her dress and put out the flames with her hands. But for her presence of mind the child would undoubtedly have lost his life. Then she ran with the child to its mother and collapsed. Her hands and arms were badly blistered and her dress burnt, but the child was saved.

Deaf Hear at Telephone.

Among the many curiosities of the telephone and one which certainly never was thought of when the instrument was invented, is the fact that persons who are extremely deaf often can hear perfectly over the telephone. Those who are so deaf that they can distinguish nothing which is said to them except by the motion of the lips or by the use of an ear trumpet or other similar device can carry on long distance telephone conversations with perfect ease and never miss a word.

Subject for Debate.

Subject of discussion at Saturday night's meeting of the Lancaster Literary society, "If a Woman Has 'Em, Should She Wear 'Em or Shave?" Atchison Globe.

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Lots 28 to 34 inc. block 3, 6th addition

Portage Lake Park, 9 26N 4W 2.56 1903

Lots 40, block 3, 6th addition

Portage Lake Park, 9 26N 4W 1.65 1904

Lots 28 to 40 inc. block 3, 6th addition

Portage Lake Park, 9 26N 4W 3.60 1907

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Now the man who sleeps out of doors finds it easier to make converts.

There ought to be a Nobel prize for the personage who invented shirt waists.

About the only time the women are good listeners is when the preacher is talking.

New York complains of a shortage of water, despite the fact it is surrounded by it.

Detroit's team loses a game on rare occasions to prove that its players are merely human.

Chicago is now advocating air baths. A short time ago one of its citizens died in a bathtub.

A New Jersey man who ate pie twice a day for 89 years is dead—go to his deserts, as it were.

After college professors reach a certain age they don't seem to care what they say about women.

There has been discovered one of those old-fashioned baseball games in which one team scores 20 runs.

At the Hoe library sale "The Swan Book" brought \$21,000. Its new owner would not read it for twice that.

London dressmakers now propose a gown with a detachable train. Hub by we presume, will be the switch map.

However, the aviator who threatens to fly up Broadway will not be the only high flyer on that wicked thoroughfare.

"The earnings of the average New York lawyer amount to about \$1,000 a year." "Earnings" is a diplomatic way of putting it.

Stealing a base on the rest of the country, a Massachusetts school is using batting averages to stimulate interest in mathematics.

New York has just sent \$2,000,000 of worn out money to Washington. The fellows the New Yorkers took it away from were probably sent to the hospital.

A New York miser committed suicide because he was too miserly and yet you can hardly blame people for not wanting to keep a miser's company.

A western railroad has placed on its rails a car reserved for women only, but the women do not after all prefer an Adamless Eden on wheels.

Don't be discouraged if the results you get from your garden make it seem expensive. The price put upon Madison Square garden in New York is \$3,500,000.

A chewing gum famine is threatened in Chicago as the result of a strike. Our old-fashioned notion of nothing to worry about is a chewing gum famine.

A canvass of the co-eds in Chicago university shows that only two per cent of them are planning matrimony. That's all right; there's no need to hurry the girls.

There are a great many unreasonable persons in the world, but few are more so than the New Yorker who stabbed a deaf mute because he failed to reply to a question.

A Boston street car conductor found a \$5,000 necklace on the floor of his car. And he thought that women who wear \$5,000 necklaces always rode in automobiles.

A Brooklyn woman who is 101 years old attributes the fact to her habit of arising every morning at 6 o'clock. Many feel that getting up at 6 every morning is enough to make anyone old.

Professor Sargent of Harvard has it figured out that flowers will reform bad boys. The next time your youthful son pours water into the gasoline tank of your automobile, hand him a \$5 bunch of violets.

"Let the baby squall by all means," says Professor W. A. McKee of the Kansas Agricultural college, thereby proving that all the massive intellects have not been corroded by the eastern universities.

St. Louis has provided a farm home for the horses of the city departments when the animals grow too old and infirm for work. Appreciation of any kind of past usefulness in public work is so rare, either in man or beast, that this grateful act to faithful four-footed servants does credit to the city's public spirit and generosity.

The decision of a District of Columbia court that street pianos are vehicles confirms the long entertained and widespread suspicion that they are not musical instruments.

Luther Burbank is said to be trying to develop a better strawberry. There is a stronger demand for the improvement of the strawberry box.

A Harvard professor says women are near the savage state. It would be interesting to hear the other side of the story.

COUNTIES PAY IN MAJORITY OF TAX

According to Figures Given Out by Auditor General Fuller.

DELINQUENCY IS VERY SMALL

Reports Show That Is Only Where Settlement and Development Has Been Slow, That Collections Are Slow.

Lansing.—Most of Michigan's best counties send in to the state treasury pretty nearly the entire amount of state tax assessed against them, according to figures given out by Auditor General Fuller from advance sheets of his annual report. The sheet shows that it is only the counties where settlement and development has been slow, that the tax collections are slow. Roscommon county is credited with having paid 86 and 65 per cent of the tax assessed for the years 1908 and 1909. Arenac ran 88 per cent for those two years and 90 per cent for 1910. Osceola 71 and 68 for 1909.

Of the wealthier counties, Allegan paid 99 per cent each of the three years. Cass and Lenawee did equally as well. From Bay, the percentage was 89, 80 and 90; Kalamazoo, 95 for the three years. Huron, 93; Jackson, 99; Ionia, 95; and 97; Ingham, 99, 98; Genesee, 98 each of the three years; Lapeer, 99; Muskegon, 99, 95; and Saginaw, 97 each of the years; May, 89, 89 and 90; St. Clair, 93, 94 and 95; Wayne, 94, 93 and 94.

Fine Program at School for Blind

Eight students of the Michigan School for the Blind were promoted from the eighth grade to the high school at the exercises held in the chapel. The students receiving diplomas were Benjamin Chase, Archie Quirk, Roy Lockwood, Ralph Kidd, Mary Carpenter, Anna Matson, Edna Houser and Isabel Pratt. The exercises accompanying the awarding of the diplomas were wonderful, not alone because they were presented by sightless young men and women, but also on the standard of eighth grade exercises. The essays given were strong and to the point, and the musical numbers were artistic and well executed.

State Bankers Elect Officers

The Michigan Bankers' association at Detroit elected the following officers at the closing session of the annual convention: President, C. L. Monroe of Kalamazoo; first vice-president, B. F. Davis of Lansing; second vice-president, George E. Dawson, Detroit; attorney, L. H. Smith, Detroit; treasurer, Benjamin Danzard, Monroe; secretary, Mrs. M. H. Brown, Detroit; vice-president to the American Bankers association, A. D. Bennett, Port Huron. Members of the executive council, James R. Wylie, Grand Rapids; S. S. Noble, Saginaw; Paul J. Ulrich, Mount Clemens; Fred Orcutt, Alpena; N. S. Potter, Jackson; Henry Knowlton, Cadillac; W. H. Atkin, Croswell; and C. E. Waldo, Pontiac.

Salt Inspection Act Is Attacked

A bill of complaint was filed in the chancery by the Michigan Salt works of Marine City on behalf of other salt manufacturers of the state, as well as on its own behalf, in which the state salt inspector and his deputies are made defendants, asking for an injunction to restrain the enforcement of the law and the collection of inspection fees provided therein.

Briefly stated, the bill of complaint charges that the provisions of the act regulating the restricting the business of the salt manufacturers and exacting an inspection fee from them, are an unnecessary and unwarranted interference with their business and violative of several provisions of both the federal and state constitutions. It is contended the penalties provided for the violation of the act are confiscatory and the act therefore void and unconstitutional.

Co-Operate With Food Commission

Co-operation with the state dairy and food commission was the keynote of the Michigan State Pharmaceutical association's closing session at Battle Creek, a special committee being appointed to devise means for the best form of co-operation. This committee consists of A. L. Walter and F. E. Rogard of Detroit and G. R. Kirschenger of Grand Rapids. Its appointment followed a talk by State Analyst E. L. Shannon of Lansing, who explained that the commission was not hunting for druggists to prosecute, but only to safeguard the public.

Appropriations Approved

At a meeting of the state board of auditors held with Governor Osborn in the executive office it was decided to expend not to exceed \$2,268.50 for repairs at the School for the Deaf at Flint, and \$1,260.35 for repairs at the Normal at Ypsilanti. It was the first time that the governor and the board of auditors have met this year and the executive office was a strange place to some of the members.

New Michigan Corporations

The following companies have filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state: Latham Gold Mesh company, Detroit, \$10,000; principal stockholders, Arthur W. Latham, Charles F. Burton, John T. Chapman, Wolvartine Process company, Detroit, \$5,000; principal stockholders, Edward Frumvetter, Eugene R. Burnhart, R. V. H. company, Detroit, \$10,000; J. W. Bell Lumber company, Menominee, increase from \$100,000 to \$550,000.

UPHOLDING THE ARM OF JUSTICE

Annual Meeting Ends at Capitol. Lansing.—The presence of the white-haired twin daughters of a revolutionary soldier and an address by the daughter of the last territorial governor of Michigan formed a unique and exceptionally appropriate feature at the closing sessions of the thirty-seventh annual meeting of the Michigan Pioneer and Historical society in the senate chamber at the capitol.

The days when a man took his life in his hands in serving as governor of Michigan were recalled by Mrs. Elizabeth Horner Burling of Ripon, Wis., daughter of John Scott Horner, Michigan's last governor while it was a territory, when she spoke. She recalled an incident once when her father was giving an address. He had just taken off his hat and was holding it in his hand, when he was shot at by some one in the audience, the bullet passing through the hat he was holding in his hand. He stopped momentarily and then continued with his address as if nothing out of the ordinary had occurred. Handling the people of Michigan territory during the latter part of the year 1835 was a difficult proposition at the capitol, between the Indians and whites occurring constantly.

Governor Horner, who with his co-workers, took part in the founding of Michigan and Wisconsin, was born in Virginia in 1802, and was of English ancestry. In 1819 he entered the Washington college of law at Washington, Pa., and in 1835 he was appointed secretary and acting president of the territory of Michigan by President Jackson. When he came to Detroit a large part of Michigan and Wisconsin were vast wildernesses. In 1836 he was appointed secretary of state of Wisconsin and in that year devised the first seal of the territory of Wisconsin. Mr. Horner is said to be the greatest and most successful of the great and famous northwesterners. Now I have some one who won't be scared by anything.

Horner was a strong advocate of emancipation of the slaves and put into practice this belief as early as possible by releasing 100 slaves from his father's estate. After serving in the capacity of secretary of state of Wisconsin for several years, Mr. Horner settled at Ripon, of which he was one of the founders. The city was named for the home of his grand father in England. He spent the last years of his life at Ripon and died there in 1883 at the age of eighty-one years. As a tribute to the memory of Governor Horner and of honor to his daughter, Mrs. Burling will be made an honorary member of the Michigan State Pioneer and Historical society.

FOR MUTUAL BENEFIT

RECIPROCITY IDEA VIEWED IN ITS TRUE LIGHT

Quotations From President Taft's Messages to Congress Are Suggestive—Common Sense Basis of Negotiations.

In an article in the National Review Mr. A. R. Carman, a Canadian and an advocate of reciprocal trade, and an advocate of no other kind apparently, gives his countrymen the benefit of a remarkable discovery which he has made concerning the proposed agreement between Canada and the United States. The agreement was so favorable to Canada, in Mr. Carman's opinion, that he suspected the gift bearers. There must be "an African in the fence."

This is his discovery:

"The Taft wing of the Republican party, having been routed at the congressional elections last November because their recent tariff revision had not met the universal complaint against the 'high cost of living' were under the necessity of dropping the duties on Canadian food products whether they got any concessions in return or not."

"It is a short step from this disclosure of motive to the conclusion that the reciprocal agreement would be the first move in a circuitous campaign for the capture of the trade of Canada, forestalling Great Britain and the Chamberlain preferential program. As a matter of fact, Mr. Taft's interest in reciprocity with Canada was active before election day. No. 10,000, 1910. In October it was suggested on the part of Canada that a resumption of negotiations begun and suspended during the summer would be welcome. Here we quote from Mr. Taft's annual message read in congress on December 6:

"In accordance with this suggestion the secretary of state, by my direction, dispatched two representatives of the department to Ottawa to confer with representatives of the Dominion government. They were authorized to take such steps for formulating a reciprocal trade agreement as might be necessary and to receive and consider any propositions which the Dominion government might submit."

Mr. Hoyt, Colonel Parker and Consul General Foster, the United States commissioners, met the Canadian representatives at Ottawa on November 5, 1910, three days before the congressional elections which the Republican campaign had assured Mr. Taft would result in favor of the Republican party. Each side was equipped with exhaustive statistics upon trade conditions and with comparisons of tariff rates and after some discussion an adjournment was taken to digest this material. The agreement submitted to congress by Mr. Taft on January 26 was drawn up in Washington earlier in the month. In a message accompanying the agreement Mr. Taft said:

"Reciprocity with Canada must necessarily be chiefly confined in its effect on the cost of living to food and to clothing. The question of the cost of clothing as affected by duty on textiles and their raw materials, so much mooted, is not within the scope of an agreement with Canada, because the raises comparatively few wool sheep, and her textile manufactures are unimportant."

Moreover, the president expressly stated that he did not think the effect of the agreement would be greatly or at once to reduce the cost of living to the people of this country; and he also said that "the guiding motive in seeking adjustment of trade relations between two countries so situated geographically (Canada and the United States) should be to give play to productive forces as far as practicable, regardless of political boundaries."—New York Sun.

Shipping of the United States

During 1910 the United States built more ships than any country in the world except Great Britain. The tonnage of new vessels, which includes those on inland waters, was 331,318 tons. It is interesting to note that Germany built less than half this tonnage, or 159,000 tons; France, 80,000 tons; Holland, 70,000 tons; Japan, 39,000 tons. The total output of the world during the year, exclusive of warships, was 1,975,853 tons, an increase of nearly 500,000 tons over the previous year. Sailing vessels appear to be rapidly passing, since but 100,000 tons of this enormous total comprised sailing vessels. Practically the entire tonnage launched has been of steel. The British tonnage afloat today is about 20,000,000 tons, and that of the United States about 1,000,000 tons. Many ranks third in this list with about 4,500,000 tons. The output of war vessels has been slightly below that of the previous year, although nearly 100 warships were completed. It is interesting to note that while the American flag is seldom in evidence on the high seas, the enormous volume of shipping among the coast and inland waters serves to place America in the second place among the nations.

Reciprocity in View

President Taft has the assurance of the senate leaders that the reciprocity agreement will be a law before adjournment. The Democrats are persisting in their efforts to get their farmers' free list on the floor of the senate, so as to secure a record vote, knowing, however, that the Republicans have not the slightest intention of permitting a vote to be taken. This free-list campaign has been for partisan purposes only, and already it is being abandoned by the Democrats. A strong prospect that, after all, their casework will not be sufficient to straighten them out in the snarls they have created.

The reciprocity measure will have to fight its way and keep from being waterlogged with amendments, but thus far the president has kept the situation rightly keyed, despite all opposition, and the prospect of his ultimate success is reassuring. The measure has been more dividing than almost anything else proposed for years, despite the breadth of its benefits.

KING AND QUEEN BACK IN LONDON

THE CORONATION FESTIVITIES WERE FULLY INAUGURATED WITH RETURN OF ROYAL PAIR.

60,000 SUFFRAGETTES PARADE STREETS OF LONDON.

The Women of America Working for Pardon of Canadian "Soo" Woman May Appeal to King George to Save Her.

The coronation festivities were fully inaugurated with the return today of the king and queen to Buckingham palace from Windsor and the functions connected with the central event of next Thursday will crowd one upon another until July 1, when the court will again leave London. Semi-state marked the arrival of their majesties in the metropolis, the procession from Paddington station to Buckingham palace consisting of landaus drawn by four bays, with postillions, and escorted by the Royal Horse Guards. Large crowds everywhere welcomed the king and queen with hearty cheering and followed them over the whole route.

60,000 Women in Suffrage Parade

The coronation procession of suffragettes which traversed the streets of London this evening was justly described by "General" Mrs. Drummond as "the greatest procession of women in support of the suffrage women that the world ever has seen." Nearly 60,000 women paraded the five-mile coronation route to Kensington.

All question of caste was put aside, those garbed to represent Bodecia, Athens of Argon, Mary Queen of Scots and Queen Victoria rubbed shoulders with the workers from the sweat shops of Whitechapel. Among the paraders were women of title, prominent actresses and collegians. Seven hundred women who had been imprisoned for the cause formed a striking feature of the pageant.

May Ask King to Pardon Woman

"Women of America petition you to intercede with the government general of Canada or the king to pardon or commute the death sentence imposed upon Mrs. Angelina Neapolitano for the murder of her husband. Provocation was great and the woman was under great mental strain. Spare her for her four living children and child that is to come."

Such was the contents of a cablegram sent by Ullrich McFadden of Soo, Ont., attorney for the woman to Sir Wilfrid Laurier in London, Eng.

Although suffering from a mental breakdown, McFadden still carries on the active campaign to save his client. Petitions have been received from 1,500 American women and nearly three times that number in Canada. In addition the attorney sent letters to the Italian consul general at Montreal asking him to petition King Emmanuel to use his influence with the British and Canadian officials to save the woman.

Madero Given Great Welcome

With the same enthusiasm that characterized his first entry into the capital, Francisco I. Madero, Jr., was welcomed by an immense throng on his return from a five-day trip through southern Mexico. With Madero was Ambrosio Figueroa, who once commanded 2,000 men composing the insurrectionary force of the south, and whose loyalty to Madero was one of the reasons for the rapid triumph of the revolution. Madero returned satisfied that the inhabitants of the south will support him and that normal conditions have been resumed in that region.

Castro Is Found Off Haitian Coast

After a telegraphic hunting lasting several weeks Cipriano Castro, former president of Venezuela, has been located on board the steamship Consuelo at Guaymas, a port formerly owned by the Italian government, which is now at Port de Paix, Haiti, being the German flag. He is undoubtedly on his way back to Venezuela to stir up a revolution against the present government there. The state department will promptly take steps to thwart his plans.

Honduras Pact Before Senate

The treaty between the United States and Honduras, which provides for the refunding of the foreign debt of Honduras through the aid of Wall Street bankers, was reported to the senate in executive session. A motion was made by Senator William Alden Smith of Michigan to have the treaty made public and the debate on it in open session. This motion will be considered at some future executive session. There was no criticism. Senator Smith is opposed to the ratification of the treaty.

It is announced that 35 members of the senior class at the Yale law school failed to pass and will receive their degrees on June 19. The class numbered 153.

The National Peace Congress

Passed a resolution expressing gratification at the movement instituted by President Taft for an Anglo-American arbitration treaty which will include questions of national honor and vital interests which have heretofore been excluded from arbitration treaties.

The Bartlett orchard, cherry tree at Roseland, planted during the revolutionary war by Josiah Bartlett, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence, was snapped off by a windstorm. The tree, more than 100 feet in circumference, was one of the most noted landmarks in that section of the country.

Count John Heinrich von Bernstorff

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KING AND QUEEN BACK IN LONDON

THE CORONATION FESTIVITIES WERE FULLY INAUGURATED WITH RETURN OF ROYAL PAIR.

60,000 SUFFRAGETTES PARADE STREETS OF LONDON

The Women of America Working for Pardon of Canadian "Soo" Woman May Appeal to King George to Save Her.

The coronation festivities were fully inaugurated with the return today of the king and queen to Buckingham palace from Windsor and the functions connected with the central event of next Thursday will crowd one upon another until July 1, when the court will again leave London. Semi-state marked the arrival of their majesties in the metropolis, the procession from Paddington station to Buckingham palace consisting of landaus drawn by four bays, with postillions, and escorted by the Royal Horse Guards. Large crowds everywhere welcomed the king and queen with hearty cheering and followed them over the whole route.

60,000 Women in Suffrage Parade

The coronation procession of suffragettes which traversed the streets of London this evening was justly described by "General" Mrs. Drummond as "the greatest procession of women in support of the suffrage women that the world ever has seen." Nearly 60,000 women paraded the five-mile coronation route to Kensington.

All question of caste was put aside, those garbed to represent Bodecia, Athens of Argon, Mary Queen of Scots and Queen Victoria rubbed shoulders with the workers from the sweat shops of Whitechapel. Among the paraders were women of title, prominent actresses and collegians. Seven hundred women who had been imprisoned for the cause formed a striking feature of the pageant.

May Ask King to Pardon Woman

"Women of America petition you to intercede with the government general of Canada or the king to pardon or commute the death sentence imposed upon Mrs. Angelina Neapolitano for the murder of her husband. Provocation was great and the woman was under great mental strain. Spare her for her four living children and child that is to come."

Such was the contents of a cablegram sent by Ullrich McFadden of Soo, Ont., attorney for the woman to Sir Wilfrid Laurier in London, Eng.

Although suffering from a mental breakdown, McFadden still carries on the active campaign to save his client. Petitions have been received from 1,500 American women and nearly three times that number in Canada. In addition the attorney sent letters to the Italian consul general at Montreal asking him to petition King Emmanuel to use his influence with the British and Canadian officials to save the woman.

Madero Given Great Welcome

With the same enthusiasm that characterized his first entry into the capital, Francisco I. Madero, Jr., was welcomed by an immense throng on his return from a five-day trip through southern Mexico. With Madero was Ambrosio Figueroa, who once commanded 2,000 men composing the insurrectionary force of the south, and whose loyalty to Madero was one of the reasons for the rapid triumph of the revolution. Madero returned satisfied that the inhabitants of the south will support him and that normal conditions have been resumed in that region.

Castro Is Found Off Haitian Coast

After a telegraphic hunting lasting several weeks Cipriano Castro, former president of Venezuela, has been located on board the steamship Consuelo at Guaymas, a port formerly owned by the Italian government, which is now at Port de Paix, Haiti, being the German flag. He is undoubtedly on his way back to Venezuela to stir up a revolution against the present government there. The state department will promptly take steps to thwart his plans.

Honduras Pact Before Senate

The treaty between the United States and Honduras, which provides for the refunding of the foreign debt of Honduras through the aid of Wall Street bankers, was reported to the senate in executive session. A motion was made by Senator William Alden Smith of Michigan to have the treaty made public and the debate on it in open session. This motion will be considered at some future executive session. There was no criticism. Senator Smith is opposed to the ratification of the treaty.

It is announced that 35 members of the senior class at the Yale law school failed to pass and will receive their degrees on June 19. The class numbered 153.

The National Peace Congress

Passed a resolution expressing gratification at the movement instituted by President Taft for an Anglo-American arbitration treaty which will include questions of national honor and vital interests which have heretofore been excluded from arbitration treaties.

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A good dish for a Luncheon or Supper.

Brown the contents of a tin of Libby's Vienna Sausages in the frying pan and serve with baked potatoes.

Easy to serve—fine to eat

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SUCH A QUESTION.



State's Attorney (examining taleman for jury)—If you considered this man guilty would you send him to the gallows?

Taleman (a politician)—What's his politics?

Historic Event Celebrated

Australia recently commemorated the one hundred and forty-first anniversary of Captain Cook's great landing. It was in 1770 that H. M. S. Endeavour, a bark of 370 tons, entered the inlet first called Sting Rays Harbor, but afterwards Botany Bay, from the beauty and variety of the plants growing about its shores. The vessel remained eight days, and before she left the British flag was hoisted. As is the custom on each recurring anniversary, the flag was again unfurled upon the spot where it was first displayed, and was saluted by the guns of the warships in the harbor.

The Kaiser Likes the Bible

The Kaiser is a great reader, and while he tries to keep himself abreast of current events, his favorite book is the Bible, says the London Chronicle. A well thumbed and marked copy is always by his bedside. When Mr. Roosevelt visited Berlin last year, the Kaiser made him a present of a number of books. About half of them referred to theology and the others to military subjects. These two classes indicate the Kaiser's own preferences.

WANTED TO SLEEP

Curious That a Tired Preacher Should Have Such Desires.

A minister speaks of the curious effect of Grape-Nuts food on him and how it has relieved him. "You will doubtless understand how the suffering from indigestion with which I used to be troubled made my work an almost unendurable burden; and why it was that after my Sabbath duties had been performed, sleep was a stranger to my pillow till nearly daylight."

"I had to be very careful as to what I ate, and even with all my care I experienced poignant physical distress after meals, and my food never satisfied me."

"Since I began the use of Grape-Nuts the benefits I have derived from it are very definite. I no longer suffer from indigestion, and I no longer prove from the time Grape-Nuts appeared on our table."

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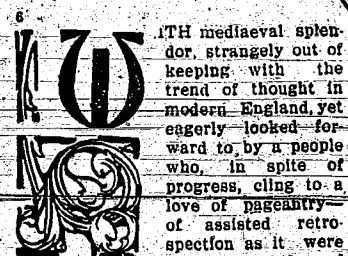
"I feel that I could not possibly do without Grape-Nuts food, now that I know its value. It is invariably on our table—we feel that we need it to make the meal complete and our children will eat Grape-Nuts when they cannot be persuaded to touch anything else."

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Crowning Britain's King and Queen



THE KING IN CORONATION ROBES

WITH medieval splendor, strangely out of keeping with the trend of thought in modern England, yet eagerly looked forward to by a people who, in spite of progress, cling to a love of pageantry of assisted retrospection as it were the coronation of George V. exceeds in magnificence anything that the modern world has seen. The pomp and pageantry will not make him one whit more the ruler of his millions; it will not add one jot or tittle to his power. But the coronation is a pageant his people await with no slight degree of excitement; that the whole world would go forth to see.

Then, being crowned ruler of Great Britain and Ireland, he will visit India, with his queen consort, and there be proclaimed and crowned emperor. He is the first ruler of Britain's empire of India to go to that distant dominion to receive the symbol of his office. In previous reigns the crown has been by proxy and the vice roy of India has held it as one of the privileges of his exalted office that, for a brief space, at a demonstration almost barbaric in its splendor he could stand in the stead of his sire and receive the homage due the actual emperor. The kingdom of make-believe is to go. George, Emperor of Rex, will himself receive the fealty of his distant dominion. And what a rush of native potentates there will be to claim places near the throne of the great white king!

The ceremony of the coronation is



THE QUEEN IN CORONATION ROBES

country as well as with the accredited representatives of the British Empire, so that it is a veritable parliament of man, a federation of the world, will proceed to chairs set before and below their thrones.

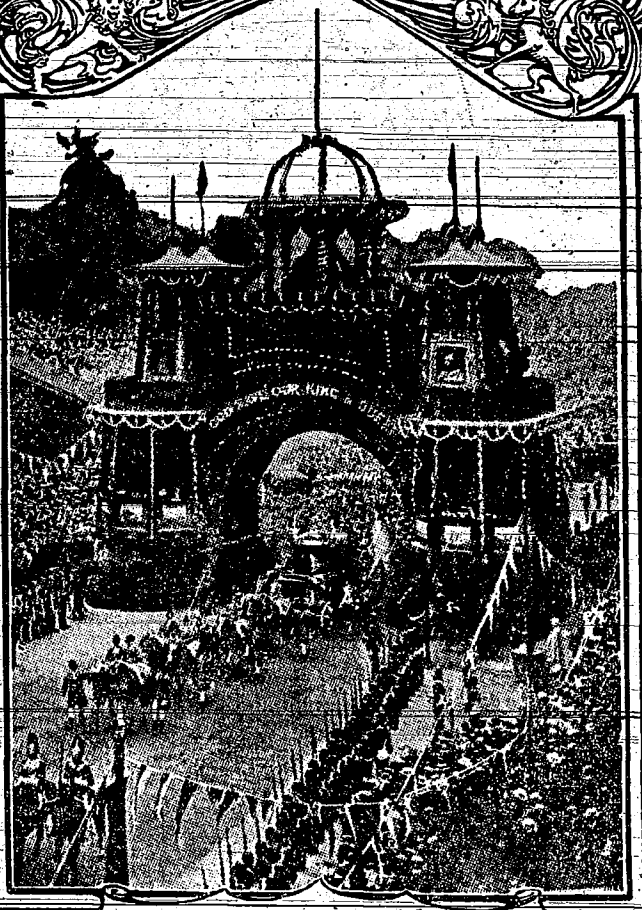
At this juncture the archbishop of Canterbury, who it is interesting at this point to note, is the ranking official at the ceremony—not only in that he crowns the king, but also in view of the fact that, in the event of the crown prince's enforced absence from the kingdom on the death of the monarch, or an interregnum would be regent—accompanied by four dignitaries, with program more the king than his subjects and to the world. The four dignitaries are the lord chancellor, the lord great chamberlain, the lord high constable and earl-marshal. They will march solemnly to the four sides of the altar, or ambo, and as it might be called, and address the assemblage. The king, at the moment of their procession, will have risen as if to show himself to those to whom he is being proclaimed. The archbishop will speak this message:

"Sirs, I here present to you King George, the undoubted king of this realm; wherefore all of you have come this day to do your homage, are you willing to do the same?"

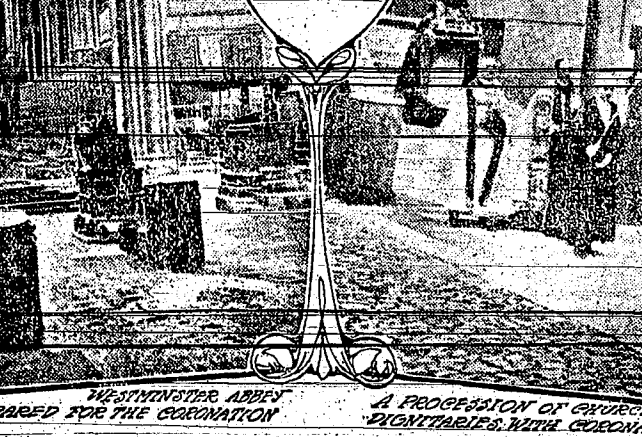
As by one voice the people will take up the cry that will reverberate through the whole of the church in which the sun never sets: "God save the king!"

Following this acclamation both king and queen consort will take the places reserved for them just below their thrones.

The regalia of the king at the beginning of the service will be, that already described, except that when the



WESTMINSTER ABBEY PREPARED FOR THE CORONATION



A PROCESSION OF CHURCH DIGNITARIES WITH CORONATION REGALIA

a survival of an ancient custom of anointing the kings. From the standpoint of the public at large, the actual placing of the crown upon the monarch's head is the most important feature of the ceremony. But from the standpoint of the ceremony's meaning of symbolism, the service of unction is perhaps the most noteworthy. And then, too, there is that moment in the festivity—for such it really is, in spite of its religious setting—when the king leaves the chair that he occupies at the start, to sit upon England's throne, ruler of the United Kingdom and of her dominions over the sea.

In a religious setting the ceremony of the coronation, when studied by the layman, instantly recalls the service of consecrating a bishop, and the resemblance is admitted by the clergy, though the most important feature of the consecration of a bishop is omitted, that of the "laying on of hands."

Then, too, the coronation is not merely a festivity. It is something more, much more. For it marks the formal setting apart of the king as a person different from all his subjects, not only by virtue of his position as their ruler, but by an anointing with holy oil—an observance that has biblical parallels and sanctions.

King George will be robed in a white silk shirt, and over that will be placed a close-fitting coat of red sarcenet. These vestments are provided with openings at the breast, for the purpose of anointing the monarch with the sacred oil.

As the anointing ceremony has become less elaborate with time the need of additional openings has vanished. The openings in the vestments will be fastened with ribbons, and another of the manifold duties of the dean of Westminster will be to see that they are in readiness for the function. Then, too, he will have to see that they are fastened again, so that his majesty will not present an untidy appearance.

In the early days the king stood bareheaded to receive his people's crown; but, due to the freaks of the British climate or to a more delicate sense of the fitness of things, the monarch now will be properly stockinged, and will wear also knee breeches and buskins of cloth of gold. He will wear sandals of dark leather with red straps. Covering everything else will be the red or parliamentary robe, which is so familiar from photographs of kings. On his head, before the act

and coronation, will be the cap of state or main-tenance, made of red velvet. The queen consort will be a regal figure in the purple of her rank. She will wear a small gold coronet, and will receive the crown later, following the coronation of the king.

Some of the medieval observances have been abandoned, but their abandonment has not lessened the splendor of the pageant, for there have been many additions with the growth of the British empire.

The hereditary earl-marshal, the aged duke of Norfolk, is the general factotum in the hall of the abbey. He will direct the procession of the king and the queen consort. The dean of Westminster will have fulfilled part of his duties at this time, having the robes and regalia properly assembled for the monarch and his queen. The robes will have been brought from the Jerusalem chamber of the abbey, where the dean will have been in constant and guarded custody over them.

To greet the king and queen on their arrival at the abbey will be crowded tiers. Those present will be the favored of all England. The tiers will be draped in yellow and blue velvet. The tiers will be richly carpeted in blue—the color of the Garter—in accordance with a time-honored custom. Here and there will be Indian rugs, tokens from the empire potentates to the great white king. There will be nothing extravagant about the rug or drapery display. Every of the permanent beauty of the abbey, and the decorations will serve a useful purpose in hiding the stands that find place only at coronation times.

On a raised dais in full view of all those present will be placed two thrones. The king's throne will have the place of honor elevated two steps above that of his consort in token of his sovereignty. Facing the altar, and for the use of the king only, will be another throne, no longer called a throne, but known as St. Edward's chair. It is when he leaves this chair and attired in all the regalia of the exalted office he takes the real throne that the very climax of the whole ceremony is reached.

But, to return to the procession under the direction of the earl-marshal. The king and queen, having entered the abbey by the west door, and having been greeted by the sight of a church crowded with representatives of every civilized

city and sacrament, of the Lord's Supper are reached he will remain uncovered, the title cap of maintenance being put aside for the time.

At the altar the coronation oath will be administered to the king, and, casting aside his red robe, his majesty will proceed to St. Edward's chair, which, as has already been pointed out, is for his sole occupancy.

Then follows what is, perhaps, the most picturesque feature of the whole ceremony, excepting only that of the actual crowning of the monarch. The scene will be of great splendor. A cloth of gold pall, whose value represents a fortune of itself, will be held over the king by Garter knights all arrayed in the picturesque habiliments of their station. Then the Westminster dean, taking from the altar the historic vessels known as the ampulla and spoon, will attend the prime of all England, who will anoint the sovereign on head and breast and hands.

Apert from its picturesque, this moment in the ceremony is perhaps the most solemn of the whole proceeding. And the king, being formally anointed set apart, hallowed will then be arrayed in the historic regalia known as the Colobium Sindonis and the Supertunica. The monarch's heels are to be accoutred with the golden spurs, the lord chamberlain will gird him with a sword and the imperial mantle will be thrown about him. The ceremony, reaching another climax now, the monarch will be seated, where he will receive the scepter and the ring for the fourth time.

Of his right hand and the scepter of royalty, of his left hand and the ring for the fourth time. The archbishop will take the historic symbol from its resting place on the altar and put it upon the head of the king. The assemblage will break out into a tumultuous protestation of loyalty in the old familiar words: "God save the king!"

Choir and clergy, lords and ladies, all who can and will—most of them will—cheer will break forth into a great Te Deum, a Te Deum that will echo throughout the world. The king will return to the chair by the side of his consort that he occupied when the ceremony began and, then, to quote the words of the coronation officer, "he lifted"—but not literally—"up into his throne."

Crowning England's king and the queen consort is no work of a day. It is a stupendous undertaking. It is intended to be impressive. And it cannot fail of that mark.

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GREAT MOSQUE AT DAMASCUS

Has been Heavens Temple, Church, and Now is Moslem. The mosque at Damascus, the pearl of the desert, has a principal attraction—a great mosque, which is located in the heart of the busy capital, and can only be reached through one of its many populous streets. This resort for worship has recently been rebuilt, the funds being contributed from all parts of the Moslem world, for in

1893 the edifice had been almost entirely destroyed by fire. The mosque has had a varied experience, being at one time a heathen temple, then a Christian church, then held jointly by the Mohammedans and Christians, and used as church and mosque at the same time, but since the eighth century the Mohammedans have had the sole use of it for their own purposes. An imposing and elaborately decorated structure has a place between two of the massive columns near the center of the building. This

is held to be the tomb of John the Baptist's head, a shrine respected alike by Mohammedans and Christians. Local traditions say that after the execution of the Messiah's forerunner his head was sent to Damascus, then the capital of the district over which Herod had jurisdiction, so that his superior officer might see that the deed had really been done. When the Saracen conqueror Khalid captured Damascus and was searching the church for treasure, he came across this revered relic and caused

HAD BEEN SILENT SUFFERER

Subordinate Officer the Recipient of Hints Intended for His Superior.

A sea captain's wife tells this story of a maiden woman, sister of one of the owners of the ship on which she once made a long voyage. She had very decided opinion on most matters, and she and the captain had many spirited arguments at the dinner table. The captain's wife, a meek, submissive little soul, fearing that in the heat of argument her husband might say something to offend their august passenger, was in the habit of kicking him on the shin to hint at moderation. Nevertheless, all these reminders passed unheeded.

One day she administered a more vigorous kick than usual, and noticed an expression of pain flit across the face of the mate, who sat opposite her.

"Oh, Mr. Brown, was that your shin?" she asked.

"Yes, Mrs. Blackie," said the mate, meekly; "it's been my shin all the voyage, ma'am."—Youth's Companion.

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Perhaps.

"Why did Humpty Dumpty sit on the wall?"

"He probably thought he could hold it down."

Two Varieties.

Little Willie says, pa, what is business courtesy?

Pa—There are two kinds of business courtesy, my son. One is the kind extended to people who pay cash, and the other is extended to people who don't.

Use of Ants in Nature.

Prof. J. C. Danner, in the Bulletin of the Geological Society of America, describes the immense importance of ants as geologic agents, especially in tropical regions. Ant burrows have been found at a depth of 3.5 meters, and they ramify over vast areas.

Old Superstition.

It was prescribed by an old superstition that if those who were affected withague would visit at dead of night the nearest crossroad five different times and then bury a new laid egg, the disease would be buried. If the experiment failed, they attributed it to some unlucky accident that may have befallen them on the way.

The Worth of the Voice.

How wonderful is the human voice! It is indeed the organ of the soul! The intellect of man sits enthroned visibly upon his forehead and in his eye, and the heart of man is written upon his countenance. But the soul reveals itself in the voice only; as God revealed himself to the prophet of old in the still, small voice; and in the voice from the living fount, the soul of man is audible, not visible. A sound alone betrays the flowing of the eternal fountain, invisible to man—Longfellow: Hyperion.

Couldn't See the Resemblance.

They have been joking. Assistant Treasurer James A. Matthews of the Guardian bank, on his resemblance to President Taft, and Mr. Matthews has steadily refused to be annoyed thereby. So the jokers subsided and the joke died a natural death.

Mrs. Matthews' dined together with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harmon and their little daughter, when the Taft resemblance was revived. Turning to young Miss Harmon, Mr. Matthews asked whether she, too, thought he looked like the president.

Dorothy studied long and earnestly. Then she answered:

"Not in the face, Uncle Jim."

Cleveland Leader.

Some Day Ask Your Physician

To tell you the curious story of how the mind affects the digestion of food.

I refer to the condition the mind is in, just before, at the time, or just following the taking of food.

If he has been properly educated (the majority have) he will help you understand the curious machinery of digestion.

To start you thinking on this interesting subject, I will try to lay out the plan in general way and you can then follow into more minute details.

Pavlov (pronounce Pavloff) a famous Russian Physician and Chemist, experimenting on some dogs, cut into the tube leading from the throat to the stomach. They were first put under chloroform or some other anesthetic and the operation was painless. They were kept for months in very good condition.

When quite hungry some unappetizing food was placed before them and, although hunger forced them to eat, it was shown by analysis of the contents of the stomach that little if any of the digestive juices were found.

Then, in contrast, some raw meat was put where they couldn't reach it at once, and a little time allowed for the mind to get into a happy state of mind and start on the breakfast. When the food was finally given them, they devoured it ravenously and with every evidence of satisfaction. The food was passed out into a dish through the opening before it reached the stomach. It was found to be mixed with "Ptyalin" the alkaline juice of the mouth, which is important for the first step in digestion. Then an analysis was made of the contents of

the stomach, into which no food had entered. It was shown that the digestive fluids of stomach were flowing freely, exactly as if the desirable food had entered.

This proved that it was not the presence of food which caused the digestive juices to flow, but the flow was caused entirely and alone as a result of the action of the mind, from "anticipation."

One man continued to eat the food he liked for over an hour believing he was getting it into his stomach, whereas, not an ounce went there; every particle went out through the opening and yet all this time the digestive juices flowed to the stomach, prepared to quickly digest food, in response to the curious orders of the mind.

Do you pick up the lesson? Unappetizing food, that which fails to create mental anticipation, does not cause the necessary digestive juices to flow, whereas, food that is pleasing to the sight, and hence to the mind, will cause the complicated machinery of the body to prepare in a wonderful way for its digestion.

How natural, then, to reason that one should sit down to a hearty, a cheerful, happy state of mind and start on the breakfast, say with some ripe delicious fruit, then follow with a bowl of crisp, lightly browned, thin bits of corn like Post Toasties, add a sprinkle of sugar and some good yellow cream and the attractive, appetizing picture cannot escape your eye and will produce the condition of mind which causes the digestive juices nature has hidden in mouth and stomach, to come forth and do their work.

These digestive juices can be driven back by a mind oppressed with worry, hate, anger or dislike of the disagreeable appearance of food placed before one. Solid facts that are worthy the attention of anyone who values prime health and human happiness as a valuable asset in the game of life.

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Solving Negro Problem

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Antipass Foot-Pace

Willis—I'm raising 500 chickens on a five-foot lot.

Pretty Quick

Harper's Bazar

The Old Gag

Miss Lillian D. Rowe, at an address

HARD ON CHOLLY

Cholly Clumpleigh—Would you leave your happy home for me?

Writing to Support Proxy

Albert Heidemann, a freshman of the University of Pennsylvania, was called upon to vote for officers in a recent election.

Bore—Do you believe oysters have brains?

Bored—Certainly I do, since they know when to shut up.

You complain of ingratitude, were you not repaid by your pleasure in doing good?—Levins

